

# The Flyer

September 2023 Edition

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*Thank you all for your continued support!*

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## New Ross Family Resource Centre IN PARTNERSHIP WITH Forties Community Centre

**FREE MEALS FOR FAMILIES!**

WITH CHILDREN 19 OR UNDER LIVING AT HOME

PICK UP YOUR  
TICKETS



PRESENT YOUR  
TICKETS



ENJOY YOUR  
MEAL!



contact [NRFRCdirector@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRCdirector@gmail.com) or call 902-689-2414  
for more information



# NEW ROSS FAMILY RESOURCE CENTRE

4691 Highway 12, PO Box 106, New Ross  
(902) 689-2414

<https://www.facebook.com/nrfrc/>

**OFFICE HOURS: M-Th 9-4, Fridays by chance.**

**Executive Director:** Lindsay Lenihan,  
nrfrcdirector@gmail.com

**Office Administrator:** Laura Broome,  
nrfrcclaura@gmail.com

**Family & After School Program Co-ordinator:** Janice Cornelius, nrfrcjanice@gmail.com



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**ON SITE BLOOD COLLECTION** every second THURSDAY.

You must call Colleen Hull at **624-0406** to book your appointment!

**BLOOD COLLECTION FEE \$15 For in Centre Collection.**

Some of you may have heard that Coleen is retiring and she in fact is, in April 2023 but will continue to provide the blood collection at the Resource Centre. We are very blessed to have Coleen provide such an important service for our community. We wish her a wonderful retirement!

**Upcoming Dates:** September 14<sup>th</sup> & 28<sup>th</sup>      October 12<sup>th</sup> & 26<sup>th</sup>      November 9<sup>th</sup> & 23<sup>rd</sup>

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## *New Ross Family Resource Centre*

### *Programming:*

**Play Group:** Free. **\*\*Note Change in Day of Week\*\*** Every Tuesday 10 – 11:30 am when there is school starting September 12. For families with children from birth to age 5. Includes free play, art activities, reading, music, a healthy snack, and an opportunity for the adults to connect.

**Self-Regulation Program:** Free. Tuesdays 12:30-2:30 pm starting September 12. This 6-week program used the AMPed Up! Anger Management Program Guidelines for parents that places an emphasis on understanding emotions, enhancing communication, and stress management skills. You will gain the ability to better regulate your emotions and manage your feelings in a productive way. Call 902-689-2414 or email NRFRCJanice@gmail.com to register.

**Parent Support Group:** Free. Wednesdays 10 am – 12 noon starting September 20. Come join Lindsay for a hot beverage, a light snack, and conversation with others about the joys and trials of parenthood. Confidentiality forms will be required. Call 902-689-2414 or email NRFRCDirector@gmail.com to register. Drop-ins are welcome as well!



**Exploring Nature:** Free. Thursdays 9:30-11 am. For families with children age 1-4. We meet at the entrance of Ruby's Trail and start a short walk collecting natural elements to create a nature craft. Adult conversation is guided toward parenting. Small travel snack and drink is provided for children. Call 902-689-2414 or email [NRFRCDirector@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRCDirector@gmail.com) to register.

**New Ross After School Program:** Monday – Friday, 2:25 – 6:00 pm throughout the school year. Contact Janice at 902-277-1823 or [NRFRCJanice@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRCJanice@gmail.com) for more information and availability.

**Cooking Class – Budget Friendly Meals:** Free. Saturdays 10 am-12 noon at New Ross Consolidated School. Learn how to make a series of budget friendly meals with recipe, step-by-step instructions, tips to save even more time or money, and price lists from different stores. Meals are: Shepherd's Pie, Chicken Pot Pie Casserole, Goulash, and Chicken and Rice Casserole. Call 902-689-2414 or email [NRFRC Lindsay@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRC Lindsay@gmail.com) to register. Space is limited. \*\*Class will skip Saturday, September 23 and resume Saturday, September 30.

**At Home Learning Kits:** Free. A learning/play kit which includes activities for children (ages 1-5 years old), family activities (such as cooking) or an online component (such as a read-aloud book). These are prepared monthly and pre-registration is required. Call 902-689-2414 or email [NRFRCJanice@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRCJanice@gmail.com) to register!

**Community Cupboard:** Free. Donated goods welcome for anyone to take during our regular business hours. Take what you need or leave what you can.

### *More Programs in Partnership:*

**Free Meals for Families:** Free. A partnership with the Forties Community Centre and their monthly suppers to help support all families with children under 19 (living at home) to share in having a local, nutritious, home cooked meal provided to them for free. Simply come to the Centre and let us know who in your household would like a free meal, present the coupons at the food of the supper, sit down and enjoy your meal, or take home and enjoy in your own home. Next supper is Roast Pork on September 10 from 4-6 pm.

**Women's Grief Support Group:** Free. Tuesdays 9:30-11 am. Christine from Second Story Women's Shelter facilitates this Support Group providing participants with some of the tools to help them move forward in the grief process. Pre-registration is required. Call 902-689-2414 or email [NRFRC Laura@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRC Laura@gmail.com) if you're interested in the next round.

**Nicole Robison with Avalon Centre:** Nicole is a Community Trauma Therapist - who comes to the Centre every second Thursday to provide services. If you think you could benefit from speaking with Nicole please contact 902-817-3821 or email [intake@avaloncentre.ca](mailto:intake@avaloncentre.ca) to begin the process.

**Yoga with Mona:** Wednesdays starting September 13, 6:30-7:45 pm. 10-week session for adults/teens. Beginners are welcome! Cost for ten weeks is \$120. Call 902-689-2414 or email [NRFRCJanice@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRCJanice@gmail.com) to register.

**Combo Dance Classes:** \$130+tax. Miss Brooklyn from Fire in Motion Dance Company is coming to New Ross every Friday from 2:30-5:30 to teach dance! She will have two dance styles in each 12-week session. Contact Brooklyn at [fmdancecompany@gmail.com](mailto:fmdancecompany@gmail.com) or Lindsay at [NRFRCDirector@gmail.com](mailto:NRFRCDirector@gmail.com) to register. To apply for ProKids please visit [www.chester.ca/prokids](http://www.chester.ca/prokids)

Ages 4-6 Combo Class – 2:30-3:30 pm

Ages 7-8 Combo Class – 3:30-4:30 pm

Ages 9+ Combo Class – 4:30- 5:30 pm

**Community Caregivers Program:** Join Jennine Wilson from Caregivers NS the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of each month from 1-3pm for a free support group for caregivers. For more information call 1-902-680-8706 or 1-877-488-7390 or visit [www.CaregiversNS.org](http://www.CaregiversNS.org)

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## *With Thanks*

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I would like to thank everyone for the cards, phone calls and visits when I was in the hospital, and since my return home. Thanks to my family for all the support. Thanks to those who brought treats to the house they were delicious.

~ Garth McDow

# *Thank You*

FROM THE NEW ROSS DAYCARE

Our Sign Painting Fundraiser raised \$560 towards daily operations with great response from all who attended! We are considering hosting another this autumn with Autumn/Winter sign options so stay tuned!





# S E P T E M B E R 2 0 2 3

## @ N R F R C

<p>MONDAY</p> <p>closed september 4 for labour day</p> <p>september 18 Board of Directors Meeting @ MPR 7-8:30 PM</p>	<p>TUESDAY</p> <p>weekly Grief Support Group @ MPR 9:30-11 AM</p> <p>weekly starting september 12 Play Group @ Kids Room 10-11:30 AM Self-Regulation @ MPR 12:30-2:30 PM</p>
<p>WEDNESDAY</p> <p>weekly starting september 15 Yoga @ MPR 6:30 - 7:30 PM</p> <p>weekly starting september 20 Parent Support Group @ Office 10 AM - 12 noon september 20 Food Box Pickup @ Office 1 - 4 PM</p>	<p>THURSDAY</p> <p>weekly Exploring Nature @ Ruby's Trail 9:30-11 AM</p> <p>bi-weekly september 14 + 28 Blood Collection @ Office 8:15 - 9:30 AM Nicole Robson w/ Avalon @ Kids Room 10 AM - 3 PM</p>
<p>FRIDAY</p> <p>weekly starting september 15 Dance 4-6 years @ MPR 2:30 - 3:30 PM Dance 7-8 years @ MPR 3:30 - 4:30 PM Dance 9+ years @ MPR 4:30 - 5:30 PM</p>	<p>SATURDAY</p> <p>weekly starting september 9 Budget Friendly Cooking Class @ NRCS 10 AM - 12 noon *there will be no cooking class on september 23*</p>

### *notes*

MPR - Multipurpose Room upstairs at New Ross Family Resource Centre  
 Kids Room - Room downstairs at New Ross Family Resource Centre  
 NRCS - Family Studies Room at New Ross Consolidated School

please refer to following page for program details

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# In Loving Memory

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**Konnor Corkum**

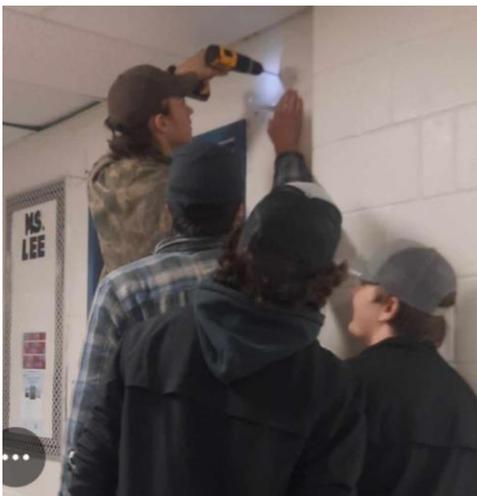
**January 4, 2006 – August 27, 2023**

It is with heavy hearts that we must face our tomorrows without Konnor. He was taken far too soon from us on August 27 due to a motor vehicle accident. Konnor was part of the New Ross men's tug of war team and there will forever be an empty



spot on the rope and in our hearts. Konnor never complained on or off the rope. He pulled with everything he had and he was an inspiration to others, especially the younger members, always encouraging and helping them learn.

Konnor was *always* willing to lend a hand, whether at home, work, school or out and about. He was often seen chatting to adults and was so polite and mature. He was a great role model! Everyone that met Konnor knew he was a kindred spirit!



Much loved by all the teachers in both New Ross School and Forest Heights, if anyone wanted anything fixed or built Konnor was up for the job. He was well known by his friends to be very much a country boy who loved fishing and will always be remembered for his schooling accessories like his backpack with the water bottle built in and toolbelt which carried any tool needed from a drill to a hammer and screwdrivers. If anyone needed a tool

chances are Konnor had it!! He may have also been known to ride his dirt bike to school when he knew he wasn't supposed to.

Konnor touched so many lives with his easy-going nature, his willingness to help, his kindness, his humor, his caring nature and gentle "old soul". This is a loss we are all feeling and the whole community needs a hug right now. Konnor may have only had 17 years in



but he made an impact on everyone that met him. He was a son, a grandson, a brother, a friend, a teammate, an inspiration.



This year at the Fair he decided to try arm wrestling for the first time ever and if ever there was a hero it was him! The crowd cheered so loud and we were all so proud of him! He may not have won but the smile he had that day will surely be remembered by many!

Konnor was loved by all and will be greatly missed by all. Our thoughts are with his family right now and with all those that knew and loved him.



## *In Loving Memory of Shirley Ann Keddy*

September 26, 1938 – September 10, 2022

Shirley's first job was at Canada Foods in Kentville, after which she changed jobs to work at the Ross Farm Museum for 34-years. Shirley was also devoted to her faith and took care of the books for the St. James Anglican Church in Aldersville and president of the New Ross Golden Age Club. Shirley enjoyed talking to everyone she met, loved square dancing, playing cards, planning lunches and food for weddings (making beautiful wedding cakes), and enjoyed going to bingo.

Most of Shirley's enjoyment came from the pride and joy she held for her family. She adored her husband, Gardner, her children, grandchildren, and great-grandchildren. And, they all loved and adored her just as much.

~ Loved and missed by all her family ~

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# Community Spotlight

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This month it was recommended to me to feature the Bookmobile in the Community Spotlight whereas it will be celebrating 50 years of service. And what a wonderful service it is to our community!

Bookmobile service at South Shore Public Libraries (SSPL) has been running since 1972; it was one of the original locations when public library service began in Lunenburg County. We've had many vehicles and many service schedules over the last fifty

years. Rural service has been and remains a priority for the South Shore Regional Library Board and staff at SSPL.

Currently, the Bookmobile visits New Ross every Tuesday at the Lions Club Park. During the school year the bus starts up at the school then moves to its public location. Visiting New Ross Consolidated School has been a highlight for staff over the years. Seeing the kids browse and choose books is a delight, and now seeing some of those kids bring their own children on the bus is a real full-circle moment for staff.

The success of the New Ross School stop and the lessons learned there have led us to offer this service to New Germany Elementary starting this fall. In order to accommodate the new location we need to change the time of the New Ross stop. **Starting September 12, we will be at NRCS at 10 am and then move to the Lions Club Park at 10:30am and remain there until 12 pm.** This will mean a change of routine for folks and we understand customers may have questions. Switching to an hour earlier in New Ross helps us



to put books in the hands of another whole cohort of children and, for that reason, we thank the New Rossers for their understanding.

The regular weekly Bookmobile staff that serve New Ross on Tuesdays are Branch Coordinator Crystal and Lead Driver Wanda. Crystal has been with SSPL for almost 40 years working at many branches. Crystal has been at her latest location with the Bookmobile for 15 years. Wanda is brand new to the library, and she brings many years of excellent driving experience with the South Shore Centre for Education with her. Wanda joined us this spring when long-term driver Dave retired after 40 years with SSPL.

Several different vehicles have come and gone over the 50 years. All the Bookmobiles previous to this one have been repurposed school buses. The buses were purchased and retrofitted to library needs. The current bus, which hit the road last August, is purpose-



built from the chassis up to be a bookmobile. It features lightweight aluminum shelving, a hydraulic lift, and a WiFi mast for better internet connection and sharing.

Our much loved Bookmobile service is one of the cornerstones of South Shore Public Libraries for over fifty years. South Shore Public Libraries has been providing high quality public library services to Lunenburg and Queens Counties since 1972. There are library locations in Bridgewater, Greenfield, Liverpool, and Lunenburg, along with exceptional access to many outlying communities via the Bookmobile.

To contact South Shore Public Libraries for more information and to see the full Bookmobile schedule check our website at [southshorepubliclibraries.ca](http://southshorepubliclibraries.ca) or give us a call Monday to Friday at 902-543-2548.

~ I would like to thank Christina Pottie for putting this article together for me as well as photos and to Tina Connors for suggesting this Bookmobile. ~

If anyone has a suggestion for the Community Spotlight or for the “did you know...” features please email your suggestions or ideas to [nrfclaura@gmail.com](mailto:nrfclaura@gmail.com).

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# Community News

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## New Ross Historical Society

### BEGINNER GENEALOGY WORKSHOP

*In co-operation with the New Ross Historical Society, GANS is holding a "Beginner Genealogy Workshop", open to both members and non-members. If you are just starting out on your genealogy journey, you will need some guidance as you begin recording and researching your family history. Join Janice Fralic-Brown and Pamela Wile for a practical session of instruction and hands-on-work recording your information. Learn how to verify your facts, use available resources, and organize your research.*

**Registration:** \$30.00 for Non-GANS members;  
 \$25.00 for GANS members

**Date:** Saturday, September 30 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

**Location:** New Ross Farm Museum, New Ross, N.S.

**Reservations/Info:** [info@novascotiaancestors.ca](mailto:info@novascotiaancestors.ca)

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### TAKE OFF POUNDS SENSIBLY

In Celebration of TOPS 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary

The New Ross Chapter of TOPS is holding an open house.

September 11, 2023 @ 6:30 PM, Upstairs at the New Ross Legion

Come learn the history of TOPS, what TOPS is all about & how TOPS can help you in your weight loss journey.

No obligation to join. We'd love to see past members.

**REAL PEOPLE. REAL WEIGHT LOSS®**





**Ruby's Spot  
Mobility Day**

**All ages**

**Sunday,  
Sept 10,  
2023**

**1-3pm**

**180 Forties Rd,  
New Ross, NS**  
Rain Date: Oct 22

Ruby's Spot, is a special place of inspiration and reflection, surrounded by beautiful gardens with sweeping views of New Ross in the middle of a Christmas Tree Farm, but the Murphy Family and NRTS society understand some people may have difficulty accessing it. So we've organized a "Mobility Day". From the Murphy's property on the Forties Rd. a motorized "ferry" will transport people to and from the overlook of the village of New Ross

**No pre-registration. Meet and park at  
180 Forties Rd.**

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The New Ross Trails Society will be hosting a **Mobility Assisted Visit to Ruby's Spot** on Porcupine Hill for individuals and families who may need help to get there to enjoy the view, beautiful trails and gardens, Sept 10<sup>th</sup>, 2023 (Rain Date: Oct 22<sup>nd</sup>)

We will also be holding a **5KM Run/Walk** Oct 14<sup>th</sup> (Rain date: Oct 15<sup>th</sup>) at the Ross Farm Museum, and a **Fall Fairy Fun Walk**, on Larders Lane Trail, Oct 28<sup>th</sup> (Rain date: Oct 29<sup>th</sup>)

Watch for future announcements in the Flyer and on our facebook page, [www.facebook.com/newrosstrailssociety](http://www.facebook.com/newrosstrailssociety) for further information and details!

~Happy Trails~

## HALLOWEEN REQUEST

The New Ross Family Resource Centre would like to plan a haunted house this October for children and are looking for Halloween decorations, either to have or to borrow for the event. If you have some you wouldn't mind donating or loaning please contact the Centre at 902-689-2414. Details of the event will be posted in the next flyer.



# NEW ROSS COMMUNITY FAIR RESULTS OF 2023 COMPETITIONS

August 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> 2023



## ARM WRESTLING COMPETITION

### YOUTH

#### RIGHT HANDED

##### 7 YEARS & UNDER (MIXED)

1<sup>st</sup> Josh Wescott    2<sup>nd</sup> Nick MacDonald    3<sup>rd</sup> Vance Towriss    4<sup>th</sup> Elliott Buchan    5<sup>th</sup> Owen Bruhm    6<sup>th</sup> Austin Bruhm    7<sup>th</sup> Linden Wescott

##### 8-12 YEARS MIXED (UNDER 132LBS)

1<sup>st</sup> Kylie Elliott    2<sup>nd</sup> Easton Rafuse    3<sup>rd</sup> George Dorey    4<sup>th</sup> Avery Boudreau    5<sup>th</sup> Kai Thompson

##### 8-12 YEARS MIXED (OVER 132LBS)

1<sup>st</sup> Jayevon Byard    2<sup>nd</sup> William Young

##### BOYS 13-15 YEARS (UNDER 154LBS)

1<sup>st</sup> Jayevon Byard    2<sup>nd</sup> Matthew Landry    3<sup>rd</sup> Josh Boudreau    4<sup>th</sup> Matthew Roberts  
5<sup>th</sup> Gaven Davidson    6<sup>th</sup> Brent Davidson

##### BOYS 13-15 YEARS (OVER 154LBS)

1<sup>st</sup> Ayden Delay    2<sup>nd</sup> Seth Evans

##### GIRLS 13-15 YEARS

1<sup>st</sup> Autumn Elliott    2<sup>nd</sup> Madyson Bent    3<sup>rd</sup> Harlo Young

**BOYS 16-18 YEARS (UNDER 154LBS)**

1<sup>st</sup> Hunter Elliott 2<sup>nd</sup> Ashton Kaizer 3<sup>rd</sup> Gabelling Wood

**BOYS 16-18 YEARS (OVER 154LBS)**

1<sup>st</sup> Hunter McNamara 2<sup>nd</sup> Hunter Elliott 3<sup>rd</sup> Ashton Kaizer 4<sup>th</sup> Gabelling Wood

**LEFT HANDED**

**7 YEARS & UNDER (MIXED)**

1<sup>st</sup> Josh Wescott 2<sup>nd</sup> Owen Bruhm 3<sup>rd</sup> Austin Bruhm 4<sup>th</sup> Linden Westcott

5<sup>th</sup> Nick McDonald 6<sup>th</sup> Vance Towriss

**8-12 YEARS MIXED (UNDER 132LBS)**

1<sup>st</sup> William Young 2<sup>nd</sup> Kylie Elliott 3<sup>rd</sup> Avery Boudreau 4<sup>th</sup> Kai Thompson

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**ADULTS**

**RIGHT HANDED**

**LIGHT WEIGHT (0-154lbs.)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Hunter Elliott 2<sup>nd</sup> – Josh Levy 3<sup>rd</sup> – Zeke Westhaver 4<sup>th</sup> – Shane Kaizer

5<sup>th</sup> – Konnor Corkum

**MIDDLE WEIGHT (155-175lbs.)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Kalan Naugler 2<sup>nd</sup> – Shane Kaiser

**HEAVY WEIGHT (176-197lbs.)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Kalan Naugler 2<sup>nd</sup> – Dexter Rafuse 3<sup>rd</sup> – Ryan Duffney

**SUPER HEAVY WEIGHT (198lbs. and over)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Kirklen Naugler 2<sup>nd</sup> – Kalan Naugler 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jonathan McDow 4<sup>th</sup> – Hunter

McNamara 5<sup>th</sup> – Shane Elliott 6<sup>th</sup> – Jason Hall 7<sup>th</sup> – William Walker 8<sup>th</sup> – Brayden

Hirtle 9<sup>th</sup> – Jacob Walker 10<sup>th</sup> – Casper Naugler 11<sup>th</sup> – John Hiltz 12<sup>th</sup> – Lucas

Levy

**LADIES (Under 154lbs.) Right Handed**

1<sup>st</sup> – Mareshah Elliott 2<sup>nd</sup> – Autumn Elliott 3<sup>rd</sup> – Nicole Myles 4<sup>th</sup> – Madyson Bent

5<sup>th</sup> – Elaine Mahaney

**LADIES (154+lbs.) Right Handed**

1<sup>st</sup> – Mareshah Elliott 2<sup>nd</sup> – Laura Broome 3<sup>rd</sup> – Alicia Broome 4<sup>th</sup> – Nicole

Myles

## **LEFT HANDED**

### **MENS (0-175lbs.)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Kalan Naugler      2<sup>nd</sup> – Lucas Webber      3<sup>rd</sup> – Shane Kaiser      4<sup>th</sup> – Zeke Westhaver  
5<sup>th</sup> – Hunter Elliott      6<sup>th</sup> – Konner Corkum

### **MENS (176lbs. and over)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Kirklen Naugler      2<sup>nd</sup> – Dexter Rafuse      3<sup>rd</sup> – Kalan Naugler      4<sup>th</sup> – Jonathan McDow  
5<sup>th</sup> – Hunter McNamara      6<sup>th</sup> – Jason Hall      7<sup>th</sup> – Ryan Duffney      8<sup>th</sup> – Shane Elliott  
9<sup>th</sup> – Brayden Hirtle      10<sup>th</sup> – Frankie Hiltz      11<sup>th</sup> – Jacob Walker

### **LADIES (Under 154lbs.) Left Handed**

1<sup>st</sup> – Autumn Elliott      2<sup>nd</sup> – Mareshah Elliott      3<sup>rd</sup> – Nicole Myles      4<sup>th</sup> – Elaine Mahaney  
5<sup>th</sup> – Madyson Bent

### **LADIES (154+lbs.) Left Handed**

1<sup>st</sup> – Alicia Broome      2<sup>nd</sup> – Mareshah Elliott      3<sup>rd</sup> – Laura Broome      4<sup>th</sup> – Nicole Myles

**Champion Lightweight (Marcus Broome Memorial Trophy):** Hunter Elliott

## **CHAIN SAW FILING/FAST CUT COMPETITION**

**Supplies Provided by Hughes Diesel Repair & Sanders Tree Farm Supplies Ltd.**

### **STIHL CLASS**

1<sup>st</sup> – Daniel Reeves      2<sup>nd</sup> – Mike Levy      3<sup>rd</sup> – Wayne MacKinnon

### **HUSQVARNA CLASS**

1<sup>st</sup> – Danny Levy      2<sup>nd</sup> – Dexter Rafuse      3<sup>rd</sup> – Anthony Cook

### **CHAINSAW FILING/FAST CUT COMPETITION – Winner after filing for both chain saws**

**(Trophy Donated by Brian Acker):** Daniel Reeves

### **OPEN (HOT SAW) FAST CUT COMPETITION**

1<sup>st</sup> – Colin Hughes      2<sup>nd</sup> – Mike Eisnor      3<sup>rd</sup> – Matthew Hughes      4<sup>th</sup> – Seth Freeman

### **ANTIQUA CHAINSAW FAST CUT COMPETITION**

#### **Saws manufactured before 1960**

1<sup>st</sup> – Mike Eisnor      2<sup>nd</sup> – Glendon Reeves      3<sup>rd</sup> – Matthew Hughes      4<sup>th</sup> – Mike Eisnor

#### **Saws Manufactured 1960 to 1975**

1<sup>st</sup> – Glendon Reeves      2<sup>nd</sup> – Colin Hughes      3<sup>rd</sup> – Mike Eisnor      4<sup>th</sup> – Seth Freeman

## **CHILDREN'S PARADE**

**MOST HUMOROUS:** Maverick Reeves - Lion

**MOST ARTISTIC:** Owen Ferris-Osborne – Archaeologist

**MOST ORIGINAL:** Weston Reeves – Dragon

**BEST DECORATED BICYCLE, TRICYCLE, OR WAGON:** Tucker Reeves – Pirate

**BEST COMIC BOOK/CARTOON CHARACTER(S):** no entries

**MOST ENVIRONMENTALLY FRIENDLY:** no entries

## CHRISTMAS TREE & WREATH COMPETITION

### **SHEARED BALSAM FIR (6' - 8')**

1<sup>st</sup> – Phyllis Hughes      2<sup>nd</sup> – Jeff Reeves      3<sup>rd</sup> – Gail Leopold      4<sup>th</sup> – Colin Hughes

### **12" BALSAM FIR WREATH COMPETITION**

1<sup>st</sup> – Christina Caldwell      2<sup>nd</sup> – Jeanette Reeves      3<sup>rd</sup> – Faith Jollymore      4<sup>th</sup> – Pat Cook  
5<sup>th</sup> – Otis Cook      6<sup>th</sup> – Tammie Cook

## FLOWER ARRANGEMENT & SPECIMEN COMPETITION

EXHIBITOR'S NAME	ARRANGEMENTS			SPECIMENS			BEST IN CLASS	BEST IN SHOW
	1 <sup>ST</sup>	2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 <sup>RD</sup>	1 <sup>ST</sup>	2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 <sup>RD</sup>		
Christina Caldwell	2		2	4	1	1	1	
Krista Cook					3			
Jean Elliott				2	1	1	1	
Kathy Hamlin	2		1	1	2	1		
Bonnie Keddy				4		2		
Patti McNeil				3	4	3	1	
Linda Meister		1		2	1	1		
Marie Meister		1		4	3	3	1	
Barbara Naugler	1	2					1	
Emily Oickle		1						
Angela Reeves				3	2			
Debbie Reeves	2	2	1	2	1		1	1
Paul Williams					1			
Charmaine Zwicker		1						

**BEST IN SHOW (Prize donated by T&D Nursery):** Debbie Reeves

## HANDICRAFT, BAKING & PHOTOGRAPHY COMPETITION

EXHIBITOR'S NAME	1 <sup>ST</sup>	2 <sup>ND</sup>	3 <sup>RD</sup>	BEST IN CLASS	BEST IN SHOW
Blythe Appleby	3	1	1		
Bronwyn Appleby	1				
Jennifer Appleby	4				
Debbie Cook	6	8	1	1	
Julie Cook	4	1	2		
Olivia Cook	6	4	4		
Stephanie Crouse	1				
Sylvia Dodge	1				
Caroline Herritt	2		1	1	1
Mary Hiltz	1				
Bonnie Keddy	1				
Gail Larder	3	1			

Violet Leopold	1			1	
Emilie Litalien		1			
Judy O'Leary	1				
Jemma Levy	5	5			
Rob Petrin	1				
Emily Rafuse	6	1			
Ellen Tancock	2				
Joanne Thomas	8	1		1	
Betty Lou Ward	4	3	1		

**BEST IN SHOW (Prize Donated by Lighthouse Publishing):** Caroline Herritt

## HORSE PULLING

### DOUBLE HORSE CLASSES

*(Weights hauled in brackets after names)*

**PULLING (2000 – 2599 lbs.) (Sponsored by Darryle & Sandra Demont):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Janie Ryan(7200lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Curtis Dexter (6600lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Dale Bezanson (6600lbs)

**Heaviest Load Hauled (Bag of Oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Janie Ryan

**Best Teamster (\$25 donated by Neil & Marie Meister):** Curtis Dexter

**Best Performance (\$50 gift certificate donated by Russell's Service):** Janie Ryan

**PULLING (2600 - 2999 lbs.) (Sponsored by Darryle & Sandra Demont):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Vance Sweet (8000lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Stephen Fullerton (8000lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Josh Halverson (6200lbs)

**Heaviest Load Hauled (\$25 & Bag of oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Vance Sweet (8600lbs 28")

**Best Teamster (\$25 donated by Neil & Marie Meister):** Josh Halverson

**Best Performance (\$50 donated by Payless Fuels):** Vance Sweet

**PULLING (3000 lbs. and up)(In memory of Thomas Reeves):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Paul Spinney (9200lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Fallon Rafuse (8600lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – James McCloud (7400lbs)

**Heaviest Load Hauled (\$50 and Maurice Reeves memorial trophy):** Paul Spinney

**Best Teamster (\$50 Prize donated by Payless Fuels):** Fallon Rafuse

**Best Performance (\$25 & bag of oats Donated by Bill Biggs):** Paul Spinney

**DOUBLE HORSE CONSOLATION PULL (Sponsored by Miller Tire Ltd.):**

No entries

**DOUBLE HORSE PULL-OFF (Sponsored by Reeves Logging & Tree Farm Ltd.):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Stephen Fullerton (8600lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Vance Sweet (8000lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Janie Ryan (7400lbs)

4<sup>th</sup> – Paul Spinny (8600lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Fallon Rafuse (8000lbs) 6<sup>th</sup> – Josh Halverson (6800lbs)

7<sup>th</sup> – Curtis Dexter (5600lbs) 8<sup>th</sup> – Dale Bezanson (4800lbs) 9<sup>th</sup> – James McCloud (3000lbs)

**BEST SPORTSMANSHIP IN THE DOUBLE HORSE CLASS PULLS:** Curtis Dexter

**BEST PERFORMANCE IN THE DOUBLE HORSE PULL-OFF (\$75 donated by Darryle & Sandra Demont): Paul Spinny**

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED IN THE DOUBLE HORSE PULL-OFF (\$100 Prize donated by Payless Fuels & John Bezeau): Paul Spinny**

### **SINGLE HORSE CLASSES**

**SINGLE HORSE (Under 1299 lbs.)**

No entries

**SINGLE HORSE (1300 - 1499 lbs.)**

No entries

**SINGLE HORSE (1500 lbs. and over)**

1<sup>st</sup> – Aaron Rafuse (2600lbs)      2<sup>nd</sup> – Nick Brown (1800lbs)

**BEST SPORTSMANSHIP IN THE SINGLE HORSE CLASS PULLS (Trophy & Bag of Oats): Nick Brown**

**BEST PERFORMANCE IN THE SINGLE HORSE PULL-OFF (Trophy & Bag of Oats): Aaron Rafuse**

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED IN THE SINGLE HORSE PULL-OFF (Prize Money): Aaron Rafuse**

### **LIGHT HORSE**

**BEGINNER CLASSES**

1<sup>st</sup> – Molly Porter, Newport Station, Riding: “Blazin’ Blue Lightning” **Received trophy and gift card donated by South Shore Veterinary Services**

2<sup>nd</sup> tie – Clara Leopold, Riding “Hank” and Sadie Millett, Chester Basin, Riding “Tusa” **Received prizes donated by Robert Gates & Katie Reeves**

4<sup>th</sup> tie – Skylah Ernst, Riding “June Bug” and Paisley Rafuse, New Ross, Riding “Skippy”

6<sup>th</sup> – Brooke Nesbitt, Riding “Rustico Paradise”

**JR. ENGLISH CLASSES**

1<sup>st</sup> – Nevaeh Graves, Centreville, Riding “Elegant Grace” **Trophy, gift card & a prize donated by Shurgain Feeds n Needs Bridgewater**

2<sup>nd</sup> – Payton McDonald, Upper Rawdon, Riding “Reba” **Received a gift card donated by Shurgain Feeds n Needs Bridgewater**

**SR. ENGLISH CLASSES**

1<sup>st</sup> – Julie Cook, New Ross, Riding: “Ghost Dancer’s Echo” **Trophy and saddle pad donated by Cindy McCullough**

2<sup>nd</sup> tie – Savannah Rhyno, Chester, Riding “Tusa” and Jade Boutilier, Pleasantville, Riding “MJ Little Royal Twist: **Received gift card donated by Shurgain Feeds n Needs Bridgewater**

4<sup>th</sup> – Faith Jollymore, New Ross, Riding: “A lil hot” aka “Chilli”

## **JR. WESTERN CLASSES**

1<sup>st</sup> – Brooke Bent, New Ross, Riding “Ranger” **Received trophy & gift card donated by South Shore Veterinary Services**

2<sup>nd</sup> – Payton McDonald, Upper Rawdon, Riding: “Lillye” **Received prize donated by Katie Reeves**

3<sup>rd</sup> – Payden Fisher, Upper Rawdon, Riding: “June Bug” **Received prize donated by Katie Reeves**

4<sup>th</sup> tie – Josie Chandler, Upper Vaughan, Riding: “Stud Muffin” and Nevaeh Graves, Centreville, Riding “Elegant Grace”

6<sup>th</sup> tie – Taylor Nauss, East River, Riding “Rustico Paradise” and Tanisha Manuel, Hubbards, Riding: “Heza Simple Pleasure”

## **SR. WESTERN CLASSES**

1<sup>st</sup> – Savannah Rhyno, Chester, Riding “Tusa” **Received trophy, halter & leadline donated by Cindy McCullough**

2<sup>nd</sup> – Julie Cook, New Ross, Riding “Ghost Dancer’s Echo” **Received prize donated by Robert Gates**

3<sup>rd</sup> – Jade Boutilier, Pleasantville, Riding “MJ Little Royal Twist” **Received prize donated by Katie Reeves**

4<sup>th</sup> – Hannah Rafuse, Upper Vaughn, Riding “Cookie Over Dun”

5<sup>th</sup> tie – Tabitha Greene, East River, Riding “Extremely High” and Colby Collicutt-Rafuse, Oglivie, Riding “Wiley Coyotie”

## **GREEN HORSE/RIDER**

1<sup>st</sup> – Natalie Tufts, New Ross, Riding “Hope” **Received trophy, halter & leadline donated by Cindy McCullough**

2<sup>nd</sup> – Sienna Robinson, Chester Basin, Riding “Rustico Paradise” **Received prize donated by Katie Reeves**

3<sup>rd</sup> tie – Paige Corkum, East Chester, Riding “Rustico Paradise” and Brooke Bent, New Ross, Riding “Blaze”

5<sup>th</sup> – Amber Lloyd, Kennetcook, Riding “Reba”

### **Thank you to our sponsors:**

Tammie Cook donated prizes presented to Lead Line and beginner exhibitors. Katie Reeves and Robert Gates also donated prizes.

Mia and Noah and Family donated prize money, in loving memory of William Lapensee. This money was awarded to Brooke Bent who was the 1<sup>st</sup> place exhibitor in many of the Just for Fun Classes and the winner of a random draw of exhibitors.

Troy Hiltz made a beautiful leather halter to be awarded to the top overall Junior competitor. Brooke Bent and Ranger of New Ross had the most points in all the Junior classes.

## **OXEN SHOW AND PULLING**

**(Weights Hauled in brackets after name)**

### **OXEN SECTION 1 LIGHT**

**SHOW:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Wayne Newcombe 2<sup>nd</sup> – Bowie Swinamer 3<sup>rd</sup> – Easton Rafuse

**PULLING:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Craig Beaver (4400lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Micheal Reeves (4800lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Brody Fullerton (Ainsley Atkins) (4000lbs) 4<sup>th</sup> – Travis Forrest (4000lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Wayne Newcombe (4000lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Bowie Swinamer (4000lbs) 7<sup>th</sup> – Easton Rafuse (Aaron Rafuse) (4000lbs) 8<sup>th</sup> – Jay Hiltz (3600lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$30 gift card donated by Bridgewater Co-op):** Craig Beaver

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (2 Bags of Oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Michael Reeves

**BEST TEAMSTER (T-Shirt, Hat & plate donated by Green Diamond Equipment):** Michael Reeves

### **OXEN SECTION 2 MEDIUM**

**SHOW:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Ainsley Atkins 2<sup>nd</sup> – Walter Mailman 3<sup>rd</sup> – Troy Church 4<sup>th</sup> – Paul Veniotte

**PULLING: (Sponsored by Payless Fuels):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Larry Veinotte (5600lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Troy Church (5200lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Tylor Hurlburt (4800lbs)

4<sup>th</sup> – Jamie Roulston (Bowie Swinamer) (4800lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Walter Mailman (4800lbs) 6<sup>th</sup> – Ainsley Atkins (4400lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$30 Gift certificate donated by Bridgewater Co-op):** Larry Veinotte

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (2 bags of oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Larry Veinotte

**BEST TEAMSTER (Hoodie donated by Green Diamond Equipment):** Larry Veinotte

### **OXEN SECTION 3 HEAVY**

**SHOW:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Walter Mailman 2<sup>nd</sup> – Gilford Kempton

**PULLING: (Sponsored by Chandler Construction in Honor of Basil Chandler):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Walter Mailman (7400lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Paul Russell (6600lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Tylor Hurlburt (6600lbs)

4<sup>th</sup> – Gilford Kempton (Brody Fullerton) (5000lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Riley Reeves (5000lbs)

6<sup>th</sup> – Nick Brown (5000lbs) 7<sup>th</sup> – Austin Swinamer (5000lbs) 8<sup>th</sup> – Brian Nauss (3800lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$30 gift card donated by Bridgewater Co-op):** Neil Oickle

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (2 bags of oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Neil Oickle

**BEST TEAMSTER (T-Shirt, Plate & Hat donated by Green Diamond Equipment):** Neil Oickle

### **OXEN SECTION 4 EXTRA HEAVY**

**SHOW:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Rodney Ward 2<sup>nd</sup> – Travis Forrest 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jonah Hiltz

**PULLING: (Sponsored by Lobster Point Properties):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Travis Forrest (6800lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Robbie Deerman (6800lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jonathan Roach (6200lbs) 4<sup>th</sup> – Wayne Wile (6200lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Randy Swinamer (5600lbs)

6<sup>th</sup> – Jonah Hiltz (6200lbs) 7<sup>th</sup> – Brian Hebb (6200lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$30 Gift card donated by Bridgewater Co-op):** Travis Forrest

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (\$30 Prize donated by Lobster Point Properties):** Robbie Deerman (7400lbs 28.5")

**BEST TEAMSTER (T-Shirt & Hat donated by Green Diamond Equipment):** Robbie Deerman

**OXEN LIGHT CONSOLATION (Sponsored by G&C Hughes):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Walter Mailman (5600lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Travis Forrest (4400lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Jamie Roulston (4800lbs)

4<sup>th</sup> – Ainsley Atkins (4000lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Wayne Newcombe (3600lbs) 6<sup>th</sup> – Bowie Swinamer (3200lbs) 7<sup>th</sup> – Easton Rafuse (2800lbs) 8<sup>th</sup> – Jay Hiltz (2400lbs)

**WINNER (Trophy donated in memory of Mark Dykens by Kevin & Debbie Veinotte):** Walter Mailman

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (2 Bags of Oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Walter Mailman (5600lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$25 donated by Payless Fuels):** Walter Mailman (Neil Oickle)

**OXEN HEAVY CONSOLATION (Sponsored by Lobster Point Properties):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Riley Reeves (5800lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Wayne Wile (7000lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Austin Swinamer (5400lbs) 4<sup>th</sup> – Gilford Kempton (Brody Fullerton) (5000lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Randy Swinamer (5800lbs)

6<sup>th</sup> – Jonah Hiltz (6200lbs) 7<sup>th</sup> – Brian Hebb (6200lbs) 8<sup>th</sup> – Nick Brown (4400lbs)

**WINNER (Trophy donated in memory of Merritt & Burdette Veinotte by Ellison & Ruth Veinotte):** Riley Reeves

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (\$25 Prize donated by Payless Fuels):** Wayne Wile (7000lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (2 bags of oats donated by Bill Biggs):** Gilford Kempton (Brody Fullerton)

**OXEN PULL-OFF (Sponsored by Doug & Sandra Randell, Sidney Hiltz Trucking & Dozing, Kyle Millett Logging and Community Metals):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Larry Veinotte (5800lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Walter Mailman (7800lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Tylor Hurlburt (5800lbs) 4<sup>th</sup> – Troy Church (5800lbs) 5<sup>th</sup> – Jonathan Roach (7400lbs) 6<sup>th</sup> – Paul Russell (6600lbs) 7<sup>th</sup> – Tylor Hurlburt (6600lbs) 8<sup>th</sup> – Craig Beaver (4200lbs) 9<sup>th</sup> – Robbie Dearman (7400lbs)

10<sup>th</sup> – Brody Fullerton (4200lbs) 11<sup>th</sup> – Travis Forrest (6600lbs) 12<sup>th</sup> – Micheal Reeves (4200lbs)

**1<sup>ST</sup> PLACE :** Larry Veinotte

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (\$100 & set of ox knobs):** Walter Mailman

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$75 & set of ox knobs donated by Payless Fuels):** Walter Mailman

**SPECIAL PRIZES AWARDED TO OXEN**

**BEST OVERALL IN SHOW STEERS & OXEN COMBINED (Prize donated by Ross Farm Museum):** Rodney Ward

**BEST BROKEN STEERS (Under 24 months, driven by a family member, under 16 years of age) (Trophy and prize money donated by Maritime Ox Association):** Easton Rafuse

**JUNIOR PULL (Teamsters under 16 years using cattle under 1800 lbs.)**

**PULL (In Memory of Sherman & Alma Walker Donated by Duncan Walker & Louise**

**Best):** 1<sup>st</sup> – Wyatt Merry (4600lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Easton Rafuse (4600lbs) 3<sup>rd</sup> – Easton Rafuse (1800lbs)

4<sup>th</sup> – Brooke Benjamin (1800lbs)

**BEST PERFORMANCE (\$25 Prize donated by Murray Reeves Forestry):** Brooke Benjamin

**HEAVIEST LOAD HAULED (\$25 Prize donated by Murray Reeves Forestry):** Easton Rafuse (5000lbs 16")

**BEST TEAMSTER (\$25 Prize donated by Murray Reeves Forestry):** Wyatt Merry

### **STEERS SHOW & PULLING**

(Weights Hauled in brackets after name)

**STEERS (Under 1500 lbs.):**

**SHOW:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Ansley Atkins 2<sup>nd</sup> – Easton Rafuse 3<sup>rd</sup> – Simon Seaboyer

4<sup>th</sup> – Adam Swinamer

**PULLING:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Ansley Atkins (2600lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Riley Reeves (3000lbs)

3<sup>rd</sup> – Jamie Roulson (3200lbs) 4<sup>th</sup> – Easton Rafuse (1800lbs)

5<sup>th</sup> – Adam Swinamer (1000lbs) 6<sup>th</sup> – Mark Roach (1200lbs)

**STEERS (1500-1799 lbs.):**

**SHOW:** No entries

**PULLING:** 1<sup>st</sup> – Larry Forrest (3400lbs) 2<sup>nd</sup> – Wyatt Merry (1800lbs)

**BEST BROKE STEERS (TEAMS UNDERS 1800 lbs. & TEAMSTERS UNDER 16):**

1<sup>st</sup> – Easton Rafuse 2<sup>nd</sup> – Simon Seaboyer

**BEST IN SHOW:** Ansley Atkins

**BEST PERFORMANCE IN STEER CLASS PULLS (Trophy & 2 bags of oats):** Ainsley Atkins

**BEST SPORTSMANSHIP IN STEER CLASS PULLS (Trophy & 2 bags of oats):** Larry Forrest

### **MENS TUG OF WAR**

1<sup>st</sup> – Falmouth 2<sup>nd</sup> – New Ross 3<sup>rd</sup> – Pictou

### **WOMEN'S TUG OF WAR**

1<sup>st</sup> – Falmouth 1 2<sup>nd</sup> – New Ross 3<sup>rd</sup> – Falmouth 2 4<sup>th</sup> – East Hants 5<sup>th</sup> – Mike's Team

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# Walk-in “With Appointment” Clinic Schedule for SEPTEMBER 2023 902-273-2098

Check out All the other amazing programs & services at OHC, [www.ourhealthcentre.ca](http://www.ourhealthcentre.ca) or drop into OHC and pick up a copy of the monthly newsletter , The BUZZ

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
			<b>**Schedule Is Subject to Change**</b>		1 <b>CLOSED</b>	2 <b>10:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>
3 <b>CLOSED</b>	4 <b>CLOSED</b>	5 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	6 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	7 <b>9:30 am to 2:30 pm</b>	8 <b>CLOSED</b>	9 <b>10:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>
10 <b>CLOSED</b>	11 <b>CLOSED</b>	12 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	13 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	14 <b>9:30 am to 2:30 pm</b>	15 <b>CLOSED</b>	16 <b>9:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>
17 <b>CLOSED</b>	18 <b>CLOSED</b>	19 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	20 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	21 <b>9:30 am to 2:30 pm</b> <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	22 <b>9:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>	23 <b>9:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>
24 <b>CLOSED</b>	25 <b>CLOSED</b>	26 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	27 <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	28 <b>9:30 am to 2:30 pm</b> <b>5:00 pm to 9:00 pm</b>	29 <b>9:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>	30 <b>9:00 am to 1:00 pm</b>
<p><b>Call 1-902-273-2098 starting 30 MINUTES before each shift to make a same day appointment pre-booking is no longer available.</b></p> <p><b>You must have an appointment to come to the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor walk-in clinic. <i>You must wear a mask - please bring one with you.</i></b></p>						

Admin office 902-275-3847 Walk-in clinic 902-273-2098

Address: 3769 Hwy #3 PO Box 74 Chester NS B0J 1J0

# A Message From Your Community Development Coordinator

## Autumn Greetings!

What is your favourite season? Mine is definitely fall, I love seeing the leaves change colour, going hiking in the woods, and exploring farm and craft markets around the community! While I still enjoy a dip in the ocean on warmer days, I also love getting crafty or reading by the campfire on cooler nights. What are YOUR favourite activities? Is there anything you are interested in picking up again after years, or trying something completely new? We have a huge selection of programs in our Explore Life brochure—check your mailboxes, view online, or pick one up at the Recreation office!

- **Intro to Sewing**
- **Beginner & Intermediate Spanish**
- **Emergency First Aid**
- **Food Handlers Certification**
- **Pickleball**
- **Salsa, Latin, Ballroom Dance**
- **Plus so many more great offerings**
- **Community Grants Workshop**
- **Intro to Fishing**
- **Plant/Flower/Produce Swap**
- **Basketball**
- **Badminton**
- **Learn to Curl**
- **Check your Explore Life Brochures!**

## Community Schools

Interested in booking space in one of our Community Schools for a meeting, birthday party, activity or event?

For Chester Area Middle School, Chester District School, and New Ross Consolidated School, contact Nadine Hackney at [nhackney@chester.ca](mailto:nhackney@chester.ca) or (902)275-8503

For Aspotogan Consolidated Elementary School and Forest Heights contact Jody Conrad at [jconrad@chester.ca](mailto:jconrad@chester.ca) or (902)275-2712



Dear Inquiring New Ross residents,

Thank you for your open letter in last month's Flyer. You raised some good questions, many of which were also asked at the community meeting. If you are asking these questions, we expect many others will want to know as well, and we are happy to answer as transparently as possibly.

We also had some engaging conversations with people at the New Ross Fair. If you have a question about the housing development that you would like answered, please call a Board member, message us through our Facebook page, or email us at [newrosscare@gmail.com](mailto:newrosscare@gmail.com).

1. **Strong Vision:** The vision for the New Ross Community Care Centre remains unchanged: to be inclusive to all citizens that may require affordable housing. The NRCCC is dedicated to providing the ability, through appropriate housing and care, to allow individuals to remain in the community of New Ross by constructing a three phase, sustainable and affordable community housing model. This model will enable people of all ages to age in place, a concept of keeping our families near that is vital to maintaining our cherished way of life. Phase One is independent living townhouse/apartments. Phase Two is assisted living and Phase Three is a long-term care facility. Prior to purchasing the land, the NRCCC conducted a site evaluation analysis that weighed factors such as access/road network, site conditions and cost, and determined that the site on Rosebank Road would provide the most favourable conditions for all three phases, and allow for future growth.
2. **Management Company:** Viability and long-term sustainability of the project are vital components, and will guide the approach the NRCCC Board chooses to manage the project after completion. This work will be determined, in part, by the current Board, and the funding model it adopts. The more the Board can raise toward the project, the less that will have to be financed, helping to lower rents and maintain sustainability.
3. **Funding Sources:** A shovel and \$5,000,000 is the heading of the NRCCC's Flyer Notice last month. Not to be trite, but it really is that simple. The Board estimates the project will cost approximately five million dollars. While we anticipate having at least one major funding partner, the more the community can raise to fund the project, the less we will have to borrow. Lower debt will mean more of the income generated by rents can be used to maintain the building. We are working with provincial government representatives to find the funding program that best fits the need in New Ross. We are also investigating other funding sources. Demonstrated community support is important to potential funders. A recent grant from the Community Housing Transformation Centre has allowed us to hire a project manager to navigate this process as efficiently as possible.
4. **Infrastructure Support:** Part of the Community Housing Transformation Centre grant we recently received is dedicated to pre-planning and development. This includes planning for important components such as water, sewer, and traffic flow. While these challenges can be solved, they also allow for potential opportunities, such as partnering with neighbouring organizations and the municipality on infrastructure upgrades.
5. **Impact on Taxpayers:** New residential units will create additional assessment and therefore generate additional tax revenues for the Municipality. The assessment is determined by Property Valuation Services Corporation (PVSC). At this time the amount of the additional revenues is undetermined. The NRCCC could ask Council to consider reducing the amount of taxes owed to

the Municipality under the Tax Exemption By-law. Under this by-law, non-profit associations have the option to request a partial or total exemption from property taxes. Other tax rates (i.e. sewer, streetlights, waste collection) would normally still be applied.

6. **Green Space:** Access to green space is an important part of our way of life in New Ross. Maintaining our country atmosphere is important to the NRCCC Board, and reflects how many of us choose to live. With 50 acres available for this project, we can ensure that the townhomes/apartments will be built in a visually appealing manner, in keeping with other homes in the neighbourhood. This includes a generous buffer zone of trees between neighbouring homes and the building site as well as preserving as much of the existing forest as possible. The NRCCC has a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) in place with the Trails Society, so the community trail way will remain open to all.
7. **Feasibility Study:** A feasibility study (which includes data from the needs assessment and community survey) was completed in 2020. It is available at [newrosscare.com](http://newrosscare.com) under the resources tab. Hard copies are available at the New Ross Family Resource Centre and the Bookmobile.
8. **Oversight:** The NRCCC Board will oversee management of the total project including construction and operations. An operating plan will be prepared and it will include hiring a property management firm and/or superintendent assistance. The operating plan will include a maintenance budget, required reserves, environmental and energy management, maintenance schedule for buildings and property, and leasing policies and protocols.

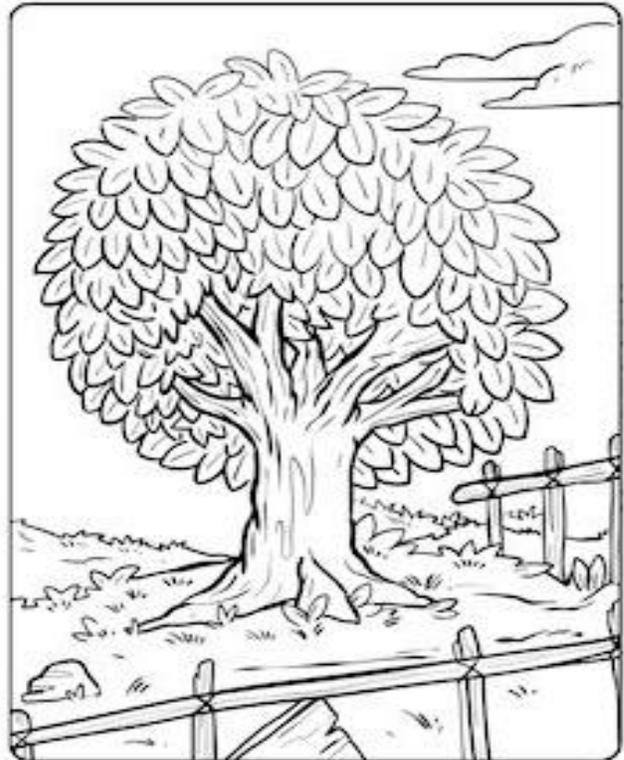
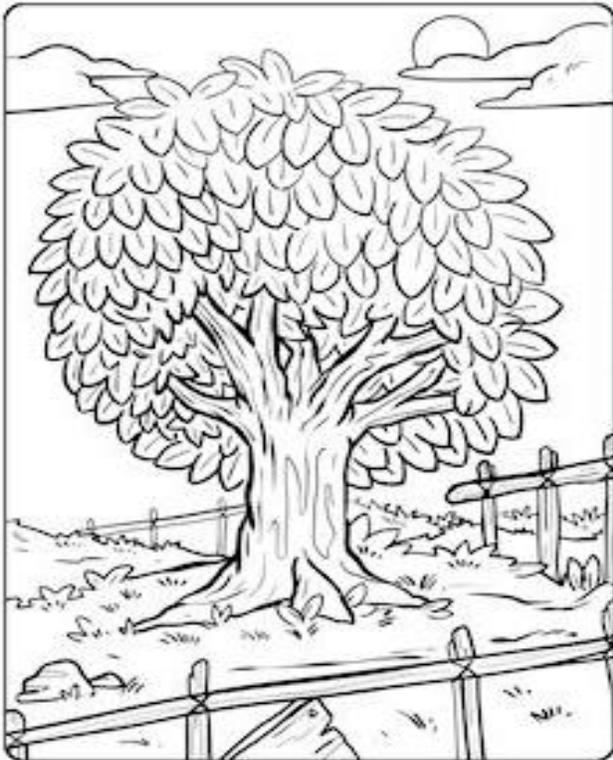
Sincerely,

New Ross Community Care Centre Board

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## SPOT THE DIFFERENCE

Can you spot the 9 differences between these two pictures?



# Welcome to Ross Farm Museum



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Email: [rossfarm@novascotia.ca](mailto:rossfarm@novascotia.ca)  
Address: 4568 Highway # 12  
New Ross, NS

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# Forties Community Centre

~ Where Old Friends Meet! ~



**1787 Forties Road**

**Phone:**

902-689-2000 Centre

Or 902-689-2612

Or 902-689-2147

**Email:** fortiescc@gmail.com

**Rental Info & Bookings:**

Ervin Broome 902-689-2782

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## Crib Tournament September 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023

Doors open 12 noon Registration starts 12:30

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Community



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